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DECLARATION

We, Vladislav Sklyarevich, a citizen of the United States, and Mykhaylo Shevelev, a citizen of Ukraine, residing respectively at 2701 Dudley Court, Bensalem, PA 19020 and 301 Heights Lane, Feasterville, PA 19053; declare that our post office addresses are the same as our residence addresses, and that we have reviewed the foregoing specification and claims, understand the contents thereof, and we verily believe that we are the original, first and joint inventors of the invention in METHOD OF HEAT TREATING COATINGS BY USING MICROWAVE, and in the subject matter which is described and claimed therein and for which a patent is sought; and that we acknowledge our duty to disclose information of which we are aware which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56.

And we hereby appoint Floyd B. Carothers, Registration No. 24,252, and Paul A. Beck, Registration No. 22,289, operating under the firm name of CAROTHERS AND CAROTHERS, Registration No. 22,238, or their duly appointed associate, their attorneys with full power of substitution, revocation and addition, to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith. It is requested that all correspondence be directed to CAROTHERS AND CAROTHERS, 445 Fort Pitt Blvd., Suite 500, Pittsburgh, PA 15219.

Wherefore, we pray that Letters Patent be granted to us for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the foregoing specification and claims and we hereby subscribe our names to the foregoing specification and claims, declaration, power of attorney and this petition.

The undersigned petitioners declare further that all statements made herein of their own knowledge is true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that those statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine, or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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